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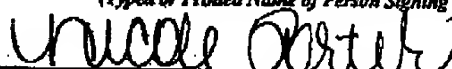
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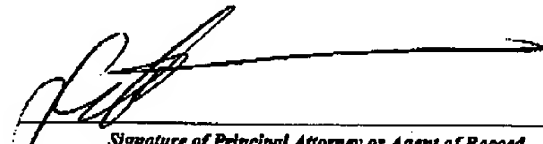



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**RESPONSE and AMENDMENT**

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This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed June 3, 2003 setting a three-month period to respond. This response is being filed within two months of said Final Office Action.

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

1- (Previously amended) An acrylic composition for use as a capstock for polystyrene structural plastics in composites formed by feedblock coextrusion, the acrylic composition comprised of a blend of an acrylic ester polymer and acrylic polymeric additive.

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